



RainBloc® Masonry Color

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RainBloc water repellent admixtures for concrete masonry units (CMU) do not affect the color of CMU.

To obtain the best results for a project, we recommend the following steps:

- Contact local producers for advice and guidance on the availability of various colors and textures in your local area.
- Note that smooth face CMU are especially susceptible to perceived color variations, both within and between production runs, due to the nature of the surface and the limits of the manufacturing process. Architectural finishes including split face, ground face or shot blast are suggested alternatives for more consistent color appearance.
- Working with the producer, construct a sample panel with sufficient units to represent the range of color and texture permitted on the job.
- Plan and order wisely to ensure you have enough CMU to complete the job. Keep reorders to a minimum as variations inherent from the natural materials used in producing CMU are inevitable and more noticeable variation in color and appearance in CMU manufactured from multiple production runs is to be expected.



Split face CMU and other architectural finishes typically present a more consistent color appearance than smooth face CMU

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